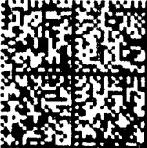


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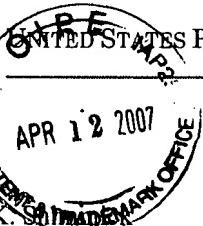
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DECISION ON PETITION
TO WITHDRAW
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This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b) or 37 C.F.R. § 10.40 filed January 25, 2007.

The request is **APPROVED**.

A review of the file record indicates that John Schimmick of the firm Townsend and Townsend and Crew, LLP: (1) does not have power of attorney in this patent application; and (2) has been employed or otherwise engaged in the proceedings in this patent application. In view of the present decision, John Schimmick and all the attorneys associated with customer number 20350 have been withdrawn from the present application and may not prepare or submit papers under 37 C.F.R. § 1.34, or correspond in any manner in this application unless appointed in an acceptable power of attorney under 37 C.F.R. § 1.32(b).

The request to change the correspondence of record is not acceptable as the requested correspondence address is not that of: (1) the first named signing inventor; or (2) the intervening assignee of the entire interest. As no assignee has intervened in this application, all future communications from the Office will be directed to the first signing inventor at the first copied address below. If assignee desires to be represented by counsel or to intervene and receive correspondence regarding this application, compliance with 3.73(b) must be satisfied. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the assignee at the address supplied in the petition.

Applicant is reminded that there is no attorney of record at this time.

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